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Amendments to the Description:

Please replace the paragraph beginning on line 4 of page 1 with the following amended

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This application claims priority under 35 USC §119(e) to U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 08/677,380, filed on July 5, 1996, entitled MOTION CONTROLLING, now U.S. Patent No. 6,597,145, the entire contents of which are hereby incorporated herein by reference.

#### TITLE

## MOTION CONTROLLING

### **CLAIM OF PRIORITY**

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### **TECHNICAL FIELD**

The invention relates to servo systems, and more particularly to motion controlling and position sensing, and still more particularly to motion control systems employing accelerometers.

#### BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION

For background, reference is made to Dorf and Bishop, *Modern Control Systems*, Seventh Edition, 1995, Addison-Wesley Publishing Company, ISBN 0-201-50174-0, especially to Chapters 2, 4 and 8.

It is an important object of the invention to provide improved motion controlling.

# BRIEF SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION

In one aspect of the invention, a combining network in a closed loop feedback control system combines an acceleration signal (representing an acceleration of a movable element) and a position signal (representing a position of the movable element) to produce an inferred position signal (representing an inferred position of the movable element). The combining network includes a first signal processor for processing the acceleration signal to provide a processed acceleration signal and a combiner for combining the processed acceleration signal with the position signal to provide the inferred position signal.

In another aspect of the invention, in a closed loop feedback control system, a method for combining an acceleration signal and a measured position signal to provide an inferred position signal includes low-pass filtering the acceleration signal to provide a filtered acceleration signal and combining the filtered acceleration signal with the measured position signal to provide the inferred position signal.

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